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Applicant/Patent Owner: Harman International Industries, Incorporated

Application No./Patent No./Control No.: 10/669,290 Filed/Issue Date: September 24, 2003

Entitled: AMBIENT NOISE SOUND LEVEL COMPENSATION

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|  | Issue Date             | February 19, 2008                         |
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|  | Attorney Docket Number | P02069US                                  |

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